

Receipt date: 04/13/2007

10566084 - GAU: 3652

13-04-2007

11:52

VON -Dreiss Patentanwälte

+49-711-24893899

T-771 P.001

F-217

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

**Certificate of Transmission**

APR 13 2007

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office (Fax No.: 571-273-8300) on APRIL 13, 2007. The communication includes 19 pages.

Signature of Sender:

B. Rieger

Name of Sender:

BEATRIX RIEGER

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BAER, Gerd

) Examiner:

Application No.: 10/566,084

) unknown

Filing Date: January 27, 2006

) Art Unit:

For: ELEVATING PLATFORM SYSTEM

) unknown

Atty. Docket No.: 0365 0030US

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
USPTO OIPE  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
U.S.A.

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Please find enclosed:

an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 (c) and (e).

( ) Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1030 in the amount of US \$ to cover the above fees.

( ) A check in the amount of US \$ is enclosed.

( ) Applicant believes that this submission is timely and that no petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is required. Applicant, however, conditionally petitions for such an extension should same be necessary.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul Vincent

Dr. Paul Vincent  
Reg. No. 37,461

March 21, 2007  
Date

Dreiss, Fuhlendorf, Stelmle & Becker  
Patentanwälte  
Postfach 10 37 62  
D-70032 Stuttgart, Germany  
Telephone +49-711-24 89 38-0  
Fax +49-711-24 89 38-99

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

APR 13 2007

Applicant: BAER, Gerd ) Examiner:  
Application No.: 10/566,084 ) unknown  
Filing Date: January 27, 2006 ) Art Unit:  
For: ELEVATING PLATFORM SYSTEM ) unknown

Atty. Docket No.: 0365 0030US

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
USPTO OIPE  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
U.S.A.

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The undersigned herewith requests the Examiner to consider the art listed in the attached Disclosure Statement (PTO 1449) in examination of the above referenced U.S. patent application. Copies of the listed Art are enclosed.

EP 0 808 747 A1 is described in the introductory portion of the specification.

This submittal is being made under 37 CFR 1.97 (c) and (e). No fee is due. If any fees are necessary, please charge same to Account No. 50-1030.

I hereby certify that no item of information in the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and, to my knowledge after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56 (c) more than 3 months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

2

Respectfully submitted,

Paul VincentDr. Paul Vincent  
Reg. No. 37,461March 29, 2007

Date

Dreiss, Fuhlendorf, Steimle & Becker  
Patentanwälte  
Postfach 10 37 62  
D-70032 Stuttgart, Germany  
Telephone +49-711-24 89 38-0  
Fax +49-711-24 89 38-99

Enclosures:

Form PTO-1449 (1page)  
One copy of each cited document except US Patents and Publications

<p>Substitute for form 1449A/PTO</p> <p><b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b></p> <p>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</p>				<p><b>Complete if Known</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Application Number</td> <td>10/566,084</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Filing Date</td> <td>January 27, 2006</td> </tr> <tr> <td>First Named Inventor</td> <td>BAER, Gerd</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Group Art Unit</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Examiner Name</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>		Application Number	10/566,084	Filing Date	January 27, 2006	First Named Inventor	BAER, Gerd	Group Art Unit		Examiner Name	
Application Number	10/566,084														
Filing Date	January 27, 2006														
First Named Inventor	BAER, Gerd														
Group Art Unit															
Examiner Name															
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	0365 0030US										

<b>Examiner Signature</b>	/James Keenan/	<b>Date Considered</b>	11/19/2008
-------------------------------	----------------	----------------------------	------------